COMMON LAVENDER COTTON.

NAMES.

A.

G. Αβρωλανον θηλυ.

L. Abrotanum Foemina.

I. Santolina.

G. Du Cypres.

F. Cypres Guardirobe.

S. Lombriguera.

D. Lage Cypres.

PARTS USED.

The Leaves, and sometimes the flowers.

PREPARATIONS.

None.

PLACE.

In Italy it grows Naturally, with us only in Gardens.

TIME.

It Flowers in July, & August.

DESCRIPTION.

This is a Shrubby plant, that does not shed its Leaves in Winter, the Stalks are woody and Brittle, the Bark is a very white Green, on the Willow Turn, and coverd with white Cotton. The Leaves 1. are a Stalk set with round protuberances, in four rows from end to end, inclining to a Sea or Willow Green. The Empalement 2. is of a more Common Green. The Flowers 3. are composed of many Small Flowers in the form of a Star 4. with five points, growing on to the top of the Seed 6. The Style is short and Yellow; there are two Chives, with Apices and Farina, of the Same.

VIRTUES.

It is a Distroyer of Worms; and of Use against the Jaundice.

T. Sheldrake delin. C.H. Hemerich Sculp.

M. S. T.